

## 70 – Preview Answers



### Multiple choice

Select the correct word(s) to fill the blanks.

1. You are waiting for your friend to arrive, but she is late. You say, "I wish she \_\_\_\_\_."  
a. had hurry up                      **b. would hurry up**                      c. can hurry up
2. It is raining, but you want it to stop so you can play soccer. You say, "I wish it \_\_\_\_\_."  
**a. would stop raining**                      b. had stopped raining                      c. will stop raining
3. At the airport you see a family with three noisy children. You say, "I hope \_\_\_\_\_ on my flight."  
**a. they aren't**                      b. they can't be                      c. they weren't
4. When you get on the plane, you are sitting next to a family with three noisy children. You say, "I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ somewhere else."  
a. couldn't sit                      b. were sit                      **c. was sitting**
5. You arrive in England but find it very difficult to talk to anyone. You say, "I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ more English."  
a. would study                      **b. had studied**                      c. could studied
6. You are having a birthday party. You invited Mike but he hasn't replied. You say, "I hope \_\_\_\_\_ to my party."  
a. he could come                      b. he would come                      **c. he can come**
7. You go to karaoke with your friends. One of your friends can sing extremely well. You say, "I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ as well as him."  
a. can sing                      **b. could sing**                      c. could sung
8. There is a really good movie on TV tonight, but if you have a lot of homework you won't have time to watch it. You say, "I hope I \_\_\_\_\_ any homework tonight."  
a. can't have                      b. won't be                      **c. don't have**



### How about you? Answers will vary.

*What do you hope to do this weekend?*

*I hope it doesn't rain because I hope to go to Kyoto's Kiyomizu Temple.*

*What's some talent or skill you wish you had?*

*I wish I had the ability to learn new languages easily.*